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Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Office of the Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445-12th Street, S.W.
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: WT Docket No. 01-309
Hearing Aid Compatibility of Digital Wireless Telephones

Fifth Semi-Annual Report

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Pursuant to the FCC's *Order* in WT Docket No. 01-309¹ and the subsequent *Public Notice* in the same proceeding², Centennial Communications Corp. submits this fifth semi-annual progress report on hearing aid compatibility with Centennial's digital wireless systems. By way of background, Centennial holds 34 CMRS (cellular and PCS licenses) in six states, as well as the B Block broadband PCS license in MTA 25 – Puerto Rico/US Virgin Islands. In our domestic markets, Centennial provides digital service utilizing a GSM air interface and Motorola, Nokia, Sony Ericsson, LG and Samsung equipment. In the Caribbean market, Centennial completed a network upgrade last summer and now utilizes a CDMA air interface and Motorola and Nokia handsets. In each of its domestic and Caribbean markets, Centennial presently is offering three handsets that meet the FCC's hearing aid compatibility technical standards.³

¹ *In the Matter of Section 68.4(a) of the Commission's Rules Governing Hearing Aid-Compatible Telephones, Report and Order*, 18 FCC Rcd 16753 (2003) ("HAC Order").

² "Wireless Telecommunications Bureau Announces Hearing Aid Compatibility Reporting Dates for Wireless Carriers and Handset Manufacturers, *Public Notice*, WT Docket No. 01-309 (rel. March 8, 2004) ("March 2004 Public Notice").

³ In our domestic markets, the following HAC-compliant phones are offered: Motorola Razor V3, Motorola V220 and Nokia 6061. In our Caribbean market, the following HAC-compliant phones are offered: Motorola Razor V3, Motorola V265 and Nokia 6255i.

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As we reported last November, Centennial met the Commission's requirement under Section 20.19(c)(2) of the rules to offer at least two handset models per air interface that comply with the FCC's hearing aid compatibility technical standards. At present, Centennial has not yet finished compiling all of the technical information required by the Commission's March 2004 Public Notice to be included in this report. Consequently, Centennial will supplement this report in the near future with all requisite data.

If any information is required in the interim, please contact me, or Terry Cavanaugh of Cole, Raywid & Braverman, LLP, counsel for Centennial, at 202-828-9857.

Very truly yours,

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